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REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

1874.

Mar. 10.	Balance in treasury.....	\$1,696 88
28.	John Sherman on note.....	2,000 00
	Amount of state, county, town, school and highway taxes, and school house tax in district No. 1, assessed upon the ratable estates and polls of residents, and the ratable estates of non-resi- dents, for the year 1874, including dogs	8,200 78
July.	Natt & Wm. F. Head, on note	700 00
	State treasurer savings bank tax	720 67
	“ “ R. R. Tax.....	268 86
	“ “ literary fund.....	72 98
	“ “ U. S. bounty claims	32 00
	Merrimack county for support of paupers	526 22
	John Tennant's estate.....	1,979 07
	Samuel B. Cofran, balance of money drawn to pay land damage and not taken by parties awarded.....	200 00
	Samuel B. Cofran, order.....	2 00
	John Perkins, order	1 00
	H. H. Hartwell, collector 1872	21 43
	Amount of receipts.....	\$16,421 89

Am't due from H. H. Hartwell, collector

1871	\$182 93
David Hayes, collector 1872	212 96
Wm. D. Mardin, collector 1873	483 32
J. Tennant's estate.....	636 97

\$1,516 18

\$17,938 07

EXPENDITURES.

1874. Paid as follows by orders on treasurer:

Mar. 28.	John Perkins, looking over accounts of J. Tennant.....	\$2 00
	Frank Watson, labor on highway	10 00
	Henry Dowst, wood for J. Prescott.....	3 75
	A. J. Glover, labor on highway	7 42
	William Sanborn, watering trough.....	3 00
	J. K. Clifford, labor on highway	
	John Hartford, wood for J. Prescott.....	3 75
	Geo. H. Richardson, wood for E. Pouliott	10 50
	J. G. Russ, pauper bill.....	4 61
	C. E. Humphrey, board of Peter Kegly and Mrs. Ferrin.....	10 00
	C. F. P. Hildreth, cash paid for R. R. fare of A. Fesette to Canada	15 00
	Clifton B. Hildreth, services S. S. School Com. for 1873	25 00
	C. F. P. Hildreth, cash paid transient persons.....	3 00
	Phillip Sargent.....	359 26
Apr. 7.	E. C. Eastman	3 33
	Samuel B. Cofran for cash paid for printing reports, time and expenses to Boston	53 40
17.	Samuel N. Bell, for legal advice	25 00
23.	Jos. R. Michaud, for tickets E. Pouliott to Montreal.....	24 00
May 2.	Mehitable Buntin, boarding S. C. Trickey	16 25
4.	Charles Williams, cloth for S. C. Trickey	2 78
5.	Norman Call, for damage done self and wagon on highway	10 00
	John Perkins, jr., dinners for selectmen..	2 00
	John P. Bachelder, labor on highway.....	4 70
	J. G. Russ, goods furnished Daniel P. Blaisdell for the support of Hannah Blaisdell and child	27 35
May 23.	Harriett Johnson, boarding Sarah A. Johnson.....	12 00

May 23.	Noah M. Cofran, interest on note	19 44
30.	Eliza Philbrick, making clothes for S. C. Trickey	1 50
June 4.	Alfred Towns and others, labor on highway	48 80
8.	William L. Morse & Co., coffin	10 00
11.	Nathan Call, record of births and deaths..	5 25
12.	Otis S. Eastman, bill of printing	3 00
15.	Samuel B. Cofran, furnishing selectmen...	10 00
22.	C. B. Hildreth and others, labor on highway	51 74
	John Hayes, labor on highway	3 00
25.	J. P. Bachelder and others, labor on highway	58 80
June 27.	John Brown, labor on highway	2 50
	Ervin Cate, " "	2 20
July 3.	Alfred Towns and others labor on highway	65 00
6.	Charles E. Johnson, school money	25 00
16.	John F. Bartlett "	400 00
22.	John Perkins, jr. "	65 00
23.	John Rodgers on note	500 00
	A. Colby, wood for E. Pouliott	3 00
29.	Milton G. Emery, labor on highway	3 00
	Samuel B. Cofran and others, labor on highway	35 00
Aug. 1.	Charles P. Morse, coffin	10 00
13.	Charles Williams, goods for Wm. Rual...	10 24
15.	John Leavitt and others, labor on highway	53 70
18.	Jos. R. Michaud, R. R. Tickets for Wm. Rual	18 00
19.	John Hayes, labor on highway	11 28
20.	John Hayes, jr. " "	4 50
	Joseph Cate " "	2 25
	Francis H. Call " "	3 00
	Joseph Cate " "	6 60
	William Cate, school money	40 00
	Harriett Johnson, boarding Sarah A. Johnson	10 00

Aug.	20.	John Perkins, jr., cash paid for shingles for town house and labor on same.....	54 45
		Baker & Fellows, goods furnished E. Pouliott.....	53 00
		William Lane, labor on town house	15 00
		Jos. Q. Gordon, boarding S. C. Trickey	16 25
Sept.	4.	Henry Dowst, school house money	60 00
	7.	John Rogers, interest on note.....	35 00
		Noah N. Cofran " "	4 00
		Samuel B. Cofran, for time and expenses while on town business, as per bill.....	23 20
		John Perkins, goods for J. Prescott.....	70
		Frank Senter, labor on highway	3 73
		John Perkins, assistance rendered tran- sient persons	3 00
	19.	John P. Bachelder, labor on highway.....	7 00
	22.	William D. Mardin and others, labor on highway	123 24
	24.	S. S. Cass, labor on highway	81 28
		S. S. Cass, school house money	400 00
Oct.	3.	John P. Bachelder and others, labor on highway	64 57
	10.	Samuel Wells, note and interest.....	246 67
		George H. Stevens, surveying town line between Allenstown and Deerfield	3 00
		Harriett Johnson, boarding Sarah A. Johnson	10 00
	12.	J. R. Michaud, R. R. tickets to Canada furnished Thomas Nickle and family...	19 50
	31.	John Perkins, boarding O. W. Holt.....	21 86
Nov.	6.	Henry Dowst, school house money	290 00
		William Cate, school money	60 00
		Samuel B. Cofran, cash to pay land dam- age for highway as laid out by select- men on petition of Hall B. Emery and others	342 00
	18.	John F. Bartlett, school money	500 00
		John P. Bachelder, labor on highway	4 70
		Jos. Q. Gordon, boarding S. C. Trickey..	16 25
	27.	Charles E. Johnson, school money	112 17

Dec.	7.	John Perkins, jr., cash to pay Esther Dow note and interest	220 83
	23.	John P. Bachelder and others, labor on highway	25 00
	24.	Harriett Johnson, boarding Sarah A. Johnson	10 00
		Samuel B. Cofran and others, labor on highway	134 25
	30.-	Otis S. Eastman, printing	2 50
		J. G. Russ, goods furnished J. Prescott 30 68 and Daniel P. Blaisdell for sup- port of Hannah Blaisdell & child 38 43	70 11
		Samuel Martin, plank for bridges and culverts	29 40
		J. R. Michaud, R. R. tickets to Canada furnished Frank Clukey and family.....	16 00

1875.

Jan.	2.	William Knox, note and interest.....	1,070 00
	9.	John H. Sullivan, surveying new road...	3 00
		John Perkins jr., school money.....	98 52
		John Appleton, labor on highway	3 75
		A. P. Severance, labor on highway	5 85
		John Perkins jr., clothes for O. W. Holt	3 25
	23.	John T. Mugridge, counsel.....	11 50
		B. H. Phillips, medical attendance on Mrs. Mitchell.....	15 00
		J. D. Jenness, school house money.....	111 10
Feb.	4.	G. H. Larabee, medical attendance on County paupers	33 75
	6.	C. E. Humphrey, boarding Josiah Kelley Charles Williams, goods furnished E. Pouliott	8 00
			44 23
	8.	Scott B. Trickey, boarding S. C. Trickey	14 47
		B. W. Sanborn & Co., stationery.....	4 10
		Charles P. Morse, coffin.. ..	10 00
		John H. Smith, boarding Mr. Russell and child	24 00
		Baker & Fellows, goods furnished Coun- ty paupers.....	16 63
		J. Sawyer & Co., goods furnished Louis Savorie	15 25

Feb.	9.	N. Call, medical attendance on County paupers	5 74
		Amos Hoyt, milk for Frank Clukey	1 00
		Charles F. Hildreth, medicine furnished County paupers	20 10
		A. N. Osgood, bill of lumber	10 14
	13.	Prosper May, boarding Amelia Lamorie	6 00
	23.	C. A. Lewis, watering trough and labor on highway	3 60
	25.	Alfred Towns & others labor on highway	29 30
		John P. Bachelder " " "	24 00
		James W. Fife, lumber, " "	9 50
		Harriett Johnson, boarding Sarah A. Johnson.....	10 00
		David Hayes, hardware for town house	2 11
		J. R. Michaud, R. R. tickets to Canada for McClure family	8 00
		John Leavitt & others labor on highway	13 25
		B. J. Kendall care of town house & wood	5 00
		C. B. Hildreth, labor on highway and assistance rendered paupers	28 20
		William D. Mardin, labor on highway... ..	3 30
		George O. Lock, blacksmith bill	1 87
		Horace Bachelder and others, labor on highway	11 77
	26.	John Perkins jr., money paid out while on town business	4 35
		Head & Dowst, for ballot box	2 00
	27.	Daniel Lamprey, damage done horse by dogs	75 00
		Cochran & Martin, damage done sheep by dogs	10 00
		Charles C. Doe, damage done sheep by dogs.....	8 00
		J. C. Philbrick, damage done sheep by dogs.....	10 00
		William D. Mardin, in part for collecting taxes for 1874 and 1875.....	65 00
		S. S. Cass, labor on highway	13 37
		C. F. Hildreth, services as treasurer	25 00

H. H. Hartwell, collector of taxes for
1870—for abatement of the following
taxes:—

Adolph Caderote	1 73
Calvin Johnson	2 07
David T. Prescott	3 05

ABATEMENT OF 1871.

Alexander Abbott	3 76
Thomas Abbott	1 76
David Adsed	1 76
David Bren	1 76
Alden Caswell	1 76
Lewis Greenwood	1 76
Michael McLaughlin	1 76
Peter Toomey	1 76
John Crowford	1 76
James Turner	1 76
John Laughlin	1 76
James Welch	1 76
Joseph Foss	1 76
Charles A. Lord	1 76
John Wiider	1 76
Adin Mair	1 76
Frank Busway	1 76
Simeon H. Gile	1 76
Samuel Taylor	1 76
Gilbert Martell	1 76
Nassair Valhere	1 76

David Hayes, collector of taxes for 1872—
abatement of the following taxes:—

John Daley	95
Isaac Fields	95
Joseph Jocelyn	95
William Hailey	1 95
John Hayes	95
Bran Liberty	95
Daniel McCurdy	95

Peter McClukey	95
Ruard Orkston	95
William Pocket	95
Charles Perry	95
David Roby	1 95
Michael Reynolds	2 95
Thomas Rose	95
John Mealey	95
Hand Grogoise	95
Angeline Gordon, guardian	10 00
Charles Gingran	95
Francis Dewey	95
Francis Devill	95
William Comfort	95
Suncook V. R. R.	95 00
William D. Mardin, collector, 1874—abatement of the following taxes :—	
Charles Bailey	2 66
Dodge & Sullivan	10 66
Orvis P. Young	1 56
Joseph Lemette	1 89
Woodbury Wyman, dog	1 00
Ira C. Swain, "	1 00
Nathan D. Oatley, "	1 00
Lewis Dubu, "	1 00
James Cullen, "	1 00
Thomas Martin, heirs of	15 25
John Dowst, paid in Pembroke	95
J. B. Haseltine, Esq., complaint and warrant	2 50
Samuel B. Cofran, cash paid Head & Dowst for ballot box	2 00
Mary Martin, use of pound three years to date	1 50
J. H. Noyes, bill of stationery	3 03
George P. Cofran, damage done wagon..	3 50
Charles Williams, services as town clerk	15 00
C. B. Hildreth, services as S. S. school committee to date	25 00
C. B. Hildreth, services as selectman.....	45 00

John Perkins jr., " "	52 00
Samuel B. Cofran, " "	75 00
John Perkins, services as auditor.....	2 00
William Haseltine, services as auditor...	2 00

Amount of expenditures \$10,265 60

Amount of outstanding notes:—

Henry Dowst, note dated March 1, 1871	\$130 00
Phillip Sargent, note dated April 13, 1871	700 00
Mrs. John Johnson, note dated Dec. 12, 1871	283 63
John Perkins, note dated March 1, 1872	200 00
John Sherman, note dated March 28, 1874	2,000 00
Natt & W. F. Head, note dated July 23, 1874	700 00
Alvin Dowst, note dated Feb. 27, 1875	847 23
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	\$4,860 86

Amounts of Assets.....\$17,938 07

Note and expenditures..... 15,126 46

Balance in favor of town..... \$2,711 61

SAMUEL B. COFRAN,
JOHN PERKINS, Jr.
CLIFTON B. HILDRETH,

Selectmen of Allentown.

We, the undersigned, have examined the accounts of the selectmen and find them duly vouched and correctly cast, and the standing of the town to be as above.

JOHN PERKINS,
WILLIAM HASELTINE,

Auditors.

ANNUAL REPORT OF TREASURER,

FOR YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1875.

The town treasurer respectfully submits the following report of the receipts and expenditures for the financial year:—

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand at beginning of year	\$1,696 88
Received of William D. Marden, collector	5,422 00
State treasurer, Savings bank tax	720 67
“ “ Rail Road tax	268 86
“ “ Literary Fund	72 98
“ “ U. S. Bounty	32 00
Merrimack County support of paupers	526 22
John Tennant, estate	1,979 07
S. B. Cofron, balance of money for land damage	200 00
S. B. Cofron, order	2 00
John Perkins, jr., order	1 00
H. H. Hartwell, collector of taxes year 1872	21 43
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	\$10,943 11

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Town orders of the Selectmen, numbered from	
1 to 151	\$5,297 84
State tax	1,480 00

Paid County tax..	1,301 78
Town notes.....	2,034 26
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	\$10,113 88

Receipts on orders.....	\$10,943 11
Expenditures.....	10,113 88
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Balance in treasury.....	\$829 23

CHARLES F. HILDRETH, TOWN TREASURER.

Allenstown, March 2, 1875.

We, the undersigned, have examined the accounts of the treasurer for the year ending March 1, 1875, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

JOHN PERKINS,
WILLIAM HASELTINE,
Auditors.

REPORT

OF THE

SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE

FOR THE TOWN OF ALLENTOWN.

The Superintending School Committee of Allentown, respectfully submit the following report, for the year ending March, 1875.

DISTRICT No. 1.

Prudential Committee, Mr. J. Perkins jr. *Teacher*, Miss May J. Dennison. Length of summer term, 10 weeks; wages of teacher, per month, \$26; whole number of scholars, 20; average attendance, 17.

This is one of the best schools in town, and the district was fortunate in securing the services of Miss Dennison as teacher. Good order and a desire to learn seemed to be the rule.

WINTER TERM.

Teacher, Miss Elsie S. Cofran. Length of term, 9 weeks; wages of teacher, per month, \$27; whole number of scholars, 22; average, 18.

Fair progress was made during the term.

DISTRICT No. 2.

Prudential Committee, Mr. William H. Cate. Miss L. Jennie Cochran taught both terms. Length of first term, 7 weeks; length of second term, 7 weeks; wages of teacher, per month, \$20; whole number of scholars, 9; average, 7.

This district has for a number of years been very unfortunate in its school matters; making it very unpleasant for the teacher, and unprofitable to the scholars. But this year matters have moved more smoothly; and a good degree of improvement has been made in the school.

DISTRICT No. 3.

Prudential Committee, Mr. John M. Weeks. *Teacher* of summer term, Miss Elsie S. Cofran. Length of term, 14 weeks; wages of teacher, per month, \$22; number of scholars, 16; average, 13.

Miss Cofran has taught a number of terms in Allentown, and has been very successful in her schools.

WINTER TERM.

Prudential Committee, Mr. Charles Johnson. *Teacher*, Miss Eva J. French. Length of term, 16 weeks; wages of teacher, per month, \$22; number of scholars, 18; average, 13.

This was Miss French's first experience as teacher, but she entered upon the duties of the school with the determination to do her whole duty, and she succeeded admirably.

DISTRICT No. 4.

Prudential Committee, Mr. John F. Bartlett. *Teacher* of summer term, Miss Rose M. Cram. Length of term, 23 weeks; wages of teacher, per month, \$32; number of scholars, 46; average, 34.

Miss Cram is a teacher of experience, and fully understands the duties of a school room. There was good improvement made during the term.

WINTER TERM.

Teacher, Mr. Charles E. Lord. Length of term, 12 weeks; wages of teacher, per month, \$51; number of scholars, 42; average, 38.

There was good improvement made in this school during the term.

THE CHINA SCHOOL IN DISTRICT No. 4.

Prudential Committee, Mr. John F. Bartlett. Mrs. Etta W. Belknap taught both terms. Length of summer term, 23 weeks; length of winter term, 12 weeks; wages of teacher, per month, \$32; whole number of scholars, 60; average, 49.

The large number of scholars in this school, and the trouble to make many of them understand the English language, makes this school a very difficult one to teach; and the good order,

and great improvement in the studies during the past year, reflect great credit upon the teacher, Mrs. Belknap.

Fourteen hundred and thirty dollars and thirty-eight cents have been appropriated for schools. We have had thirty-three months schooling, employing eight teachers.

Money appropriated as follows:—

District No. 1,	\$163 52
2,	136 32
3,	137 17
4,	993 37

CLIFTON B. HILDRETH,

Superintending School Committee.

ALLENSTOWN, March 3, 1875.







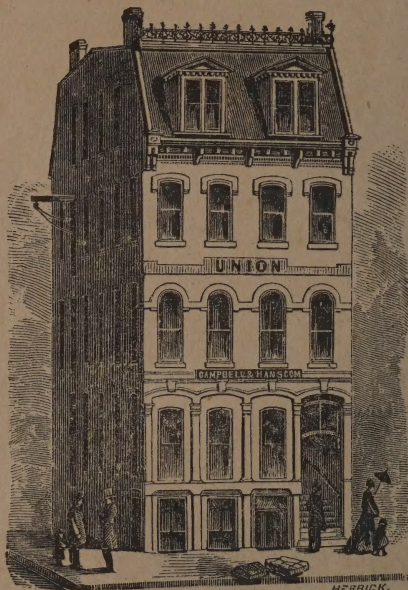
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